



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Takeshi HIROSE :
Serial No.: 10/730,257 :
Filed: December 9, 2003 :
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING DEVICE :
FOR DIVER, CONTROL METHOD, :
CONTROL PROGRAM AND :
RECORDING MEDIUM THEREOF, :
DIVING EQUIPMENT, CONTROL :
METHOD OF DIVING EQUIPMENT :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the subject application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 7 of this paper. Claims 1-67 are pending, with claims 1, 11, 19, 29, 30, 36, 40, 45, 49, 54, 58, 59, and 67 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 24 of this paper.